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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form
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(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross references to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
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 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings
 - Detailed Description
 - Claims
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 3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets) [3]
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
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6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☒ Computer Readable Copy
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(when there is an assignee)
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